

TERRE HAUTE

Guide to Cultural & Natural Attractions

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Calendar of Events (TA)



Cultural Alliance of Terre Haute Mission Statement

The Alliance exists to promote public awareness of the cultural resources of the Terre Haute, Indiana area.

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Vision Statement

The Cultural Alliance of Terre Haute is a consortium of organizations committed to creating a community that embraces and supports its cultural resources.

Acknowledgements

Indiana State University
Permanent Art Collection

Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
Art Collection

Sheldon Swope Art Museum

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Parks & Recreation

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Deming Park



Fruitridge & Ohio Boulevard, Terre Haute, IN 47803
(812) 232-2727/ 232-0147 www.terrehaute.com

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Fairbanks Park



South 1st Street, Terre Haute, IN 47807
(812) 232-2727 www.terrehaute.com

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Fowler Park/ Pioneer Village



3000 E. Oregon Church Road, Terre Haute, IN
(812) 462-3392/ 462-3413 www.terrehaute.com

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Hawthorn Park



6067 E. Old Maple Avenue, Terre Haute, IN
(812) 462-3392 www.terrehaute.com

1 Arts Illiana, Inc.

Arts Illiana is the art council for a six county region in west-central Indiana and east-central Illinois. The mission is to promote, support, and enhance the arts and cultural activities of the Wabash Valley by providing services to artists and art providers.

23 N. Sixth Street, Terre Haute, IN 47807
(812) 235-5007 www.artsilliana.org

2 C.A.N.D.L.E.S. Holocaust Museum

The museum exists to educate children and adults about the effects of hatred and prejudice. Exhibits emphasize the lessons of the Holocaust: families, forgiveness and perseverance.

1562 S. Third St., Terre Haute, IN 47807
(812) 234-7881 www.candles-museum.com

3 Children's Science and Technology Museum

A hands-on facility, the museum provides opportunity to interact with exhibits thereby fostering an appreciation of science and technology in daily life.

523 Wabash Avenue, Terre Haute, IN 47807
(812) 235-5548 www.cstm.org

4 Clabber Girl Museum/ Hulman & Company

Walk down a cobblestone pathway of yesteryear to visit a saloon, a Victorian parlor, a chemistry lab and early wheels display. Then visit Antonia's Country Store for a unique gift or sip some Rex Coffee in the Bake Shop.

900 Wabash Ave., Terre Haute, IN 47808
(812) 232-9446 www.clabbergirl.com

5 Community Theatre of Terre Haute, Inc.

The theatre is the second oldest non-professional theatre in Indiana, and the only one offering a film series as well as live theatre.

1431 S. 25th Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803
(812) 232-7172 www.ctth.org

6 Dobbs Park

5170 E. Poplar Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803
(812) 877-1095 www.terrehaute.com

7 Dobbs Nature Center

Attractions include tanks of fish, reptiles and amphibians. The center offers monthly nature oriented public programs and hosts numerous school and scout groups throughout the year.

5170 E. Poplar Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803
(812) 877-1095, Fax:(812) 877-0307 www.terrehaute.com

8 Eugene V. Debs House Museum

The home of Eugene V. Debs is maintained as a shrine to organized labor and the Debs' family causes; peace, equality and social justice. The first and second floors contain furniture, family photos and memorabilia. The third floor, features the murals of local artist, John Laska.

451 N. 8th Street, Terre Haute, IN 47809
(812) 232-2163 www.eugenevdebs.com

Kaufman Block Studios

Built in 1865, the Kaufman Block is home to numerous art galleries and studios. Gallery Mathes presents fine, one-of-a-kind, handmade contemporary jewelry and crafts by some of the leading artists from America and Canada. Visitors will also enjoy touring the many painters, studios and watching live demonstrations at the Upleft Gallery, Michna Studios and the Nichols and P.I. Hines Studios.

Gallery Mathes & Kaufman Block Studios, 681 N. Wabash Avenue, Terre Haute, IN 47807
(812) 234-1411

Native American Museum

The Native American Museum, operated by the Terre Haute Parks and Recreation Department, emphasizes the native peoples of the Great Lakes region. Group tours are available and special programs are held each month to educate and entertain the public.

5170 E. Poplar Street, Terre Haute, IN 47803
(812) 877-6007 www.terrehaute.com

Providence Center

The Providence Center is the welcome center for the Sisters of Providence. Features include dining services, the Sisters of Providence Heritage Museum and gift shop. It is also home of the National Shrine of Our Lady of Providence.

One Sisters of Providence, Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, IN 46135
(812) 535-4531 www.provcenter.org

Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology/ Hatfield Hall

Featuring an extensive permanent collection on display year round, the Institute also hosts numerous temporary art exhibits featuring local artists. Highlights of the collection include the 19th Century British Watercolor Collection, and the "Flame of the Millennium", a 45 foot tall stainless steel sculpture by artist Leonardo Nierman.

Opened in 2002, Hatfield Hall houses a 602-seat theater, an alumni center and offices for development, external affairs and alumni affairs.

5500 Wabash Ave., Terre Haute, IN 47803
(812) 877-8452 www.rose-hulman.edu

Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College Art Gallery

The SMWC Art Gallery hosts a plethora of local and out of state artists exhibitions, student senior thesis shows, and faculty presentations.

Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College, Room 132 Hulman Hall
Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, IN 47876
(812) 535-5137 www.smwc.edu

Sheldon Swope Art Museum

Renovated in 2003, the museum is located in a historic 1901 Italian Renaissance Revival building, and features works from late 19th and early 20th centuries. Collection highlights include works by American artists Edward Hopper, Thomas Hart Benton, Grant Wood, Andy Warhol, and Robert Motherwell.

25 S. Seventh Street, Terre Haute IN 47807
(812) 238-1676 www.swope.org

Local Historic Landmarks



Collett Park (1888) and Pavilion (1892).

Bordered by 7th, Maple, 9th & Collett. Terre Haute's oldest city park. Designed by renowned landscape engineer, Benjamin Grove. Prominent architect J. Merrill Sherman designed the Pavilion.



Farrington's Grove Historic District.

Bordered by Poplar Street, 7th Street, Hulman Street & 4th Street. The largest of Terre Haute's National Register-listed historic districts, this neighborhood contains some of the earliest and most prominent residential architecture in the city.

Highland Lawn Cemetery, 1884.



4420 Wabash Avenue. Highland Lawn is Indiana's second largest burial grounds and also among its most exquisite. Designed by landscape architect Joseph Earnshaw, the cemetery features stunning sculpture and mausoleum architecture. The Richardsonian Romanesque-style chapel was designed in 1893 by renowned architect

Josse Vrydagh. Chicago architect Paul Leitz, designed the Romanesque Revival-style gateway and bell tower in 1894.

Hippodrome Theatre, 1915

727 Ohio Street. America's oldest standing vaudeville theatre, the Hippodrome serves as the Scottish Rite Temple since 1955. The German Renaissance Revival-style building was designed by John Eberson.



Indiana Theatre, 1921.



683 Ohio Street. Designed by architect John Eberson, the structure is a highly intact example of the ornamented movie palaces of the early 20th century. Note the stunning use of decorative exterior terra cotta and interior plasterwork.

